



**Macon County Smart Start / Local Interagency Coordinating Council
Team Meeting Agenda
March 27, 2025 @ 12:30 PM
In-person @ Macon Program for Progress--Training Annex
82 E Orchard View Lane, Franklin
Or virtually with Microsoft TEAMS**

Welcome and Introductions:

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General Team Goals/Outputs:

- How do we make these meetings more useful to the group?
- What can we do to make you more engaged with each other?
- 2022-2023 Desired outputs: Number of meetings/times review goals: 7(5); Number of events: 1(1); Number of team/community member presentations: 7(5)

PAT Updates:--position is currently vacant

- Number of families currently serving: 0
- Number of available slots: 0
- Number on waitlist: 0
- Number on waitlist participating in group connections: 0

Smart Start Strategic Plan Goal(s): Review Data

- The team is focusing on children in households that are food insecure—14.8% in 2021 from 20.2% in 2019. Feeling is that during COVID more opportunities were available for food that are not available now so this number may not be accurate.
- The second data point the team wants to impact is children without health insurance at 11.7% in 2021 which is up from 9.9% in 2020 which increased from 9.2% in 2019.

LICC Strategic Plan Goals(s): Review Data

- Promote child find through activities

Activities to Achieve Strategies

- Educate families at events about health insurance, navigators consortium, food resources
- Distribute food resource list including the days of distribution at events
- Organize a drive through resource / food distribution fair twice—once in the fall and once in the Spring—fall is completed.
- Participate and support transition events in collaboration with MPP

Event Highlights

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Mission: A team of community agencies, organizations and parents who work together to identify community strengths, create opportunities for growth and education and to advocate for services.



- What happened this past month or is going to happen this coming month that helped or will help families in the community?

Old / New Business:

- N/A

Team / Community Presentations:

- Vaya Health

Upcoming Presentations:

- April—NFP / Hope4NC
- May—open
- June—Planning for next fiscal year

Upcoming Events—

- MPP Transition to Kindergarten—March 27, 2025 at 6 pm

What worked, what should we do differently and when do we meet again?

- Next meeting – April 24, 2025

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